



**The State Bar of California
Workers' Compensation Section**

2002 Fall Education Conference

**NOVEMBER 16, 2002
DoubleTree Hotel,
Ontario Airport
222 N. Vineyard Ave.
Ontario, California 91764
909 937-0900**

**Six Hours MCLE & Legal
Specialization Credits**

Program package includes 6 hours of MCLE and legal specialization credits, program materials, continental breakfast and lunch.

MCLE Credit: The State Bar of California and the Workers' Compensation Section are State Bar of California approved providers.

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9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

DEPOSITIONS

Are they billable events only or useful discovery? Our panel of experts will discuss the nuts and bolts of taking depositions in workers' compensation cases. A detailed discussion of strategies and legal limitations in depositions will be described including recent case law that limits objections to privileges or forms of the question and fraud prosecutions. Attorneys from both sides will benefit from this presentation to advise clients properly about this discovery tool.

Speakers:

Scott Rubel, Ontario

Clifford D. Sweet III, San Diego

10:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon

TO CURE AND RELIEVE

"To be or not to be?" That is the question. Labor code Section 4600 empowers injured workers to choose primary treating physician. What is the scope of medical treatment allowed as "reasonable" or "necessary"? Housekeeping, home care, whirlpools, gym memberships, drivers, adaptive equipment, voice activated software are all part of medical treatment? This lecture will include a discussion of the scope and limitations of medical treatment that the WCAB and WCJ are ordering or disallowing and why.

Speakers:

Jesse Rosen, Glendale

Alex Wong, San Francisco

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1:00 p.m.- 2:30 p.m.

SHOULDERS (COLD AND OTHERWISE)

Our medical program focuses on the anatomy, diagnosis, pathophysiology, treatment and disabilities for shoulder injuries. An orthopedic surgeon will discuss common and unusual work related injuries involving the shoulder joint including specific injuries and continuous trauma disorders.

Speaker:

Dr. Thomas Haider, Riverside

12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

LUNCH PROVIDED

2:30 p.m.- 4:00 p.m.

COMPENSABLE CONSEQUENCES OF INDUSTRIAL INJURIES

Do your NSAIDs cause your ulcers, hives, vasculitis or thrombocytopenia? Has your carpal tunnel syndrome on the right become carpal tunnel on the left? Does your contralateral uninjured leg now hurt because you were favoring the injured leg? Our speaker will discuss the medical-legal concept of compensable consequential industrial injuries. Find out how an accepted right knee injury can become a defendant's nightmare.

Speakers:

Honorable Susan England, San Diego

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Registration Form

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Note: One registrant per form. Photocopies may be used.

Bar # _____ ☐ Applicant Attorney ☐ Defense Attorney ☐ Judge

Name _____

Firm _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Phone _____ Fax _____

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PRE-REGISTRATION FEES

- ☐ Workers' Comp. Section Members \$ 150
☐ Non-Section Members. \$ 210
includes enrollment in the Workers' Compensation Section for 2003

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- ☐ Workers' Comp. Section Members \$ 170
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